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Applicants:

Stavrianopoulos et al.

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CHEMICALLY LABELLED POLYNUCLEOTIDE

PROBES (As Amended)

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.115

Dear Sir:

Please enter this response (Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.115) to the Office Action mailed on October 22, 1994 in connection with the above-identified application. This response is accompanied by a Request For An Extension of Time (three months) and authorization for payment of the fee therefor. Accordingly, this response is being timely filed.

KINDLY AMEND THIS APPLICATION AS FOLLOWS:

In The Claims:

Amend claims 27, 46 and 47 as follows:

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